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SUBJ: OCT. 16 NASHVILLE APPEARANCE OF TWO CZECH BLUEGRASS GROUPS

1. TWO POPULAR CZECH BLUEGRASS GROUPS WILL APPEAR ON GRAND OLD OPRY 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION BETWEEN FOUR TO SIX P.M. OCT. 16 ON STAGE OF GRAND OLD OPRY HOUSE, OPRYLAND, USA, WHICH WE UNDERSTAND IS ALSO NASHVILLE, TENN. MRS. JO WALKER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, COUNTRY MUSIC ASSN., 615-244-2840 REPT 615-244-2840 CAN PROVIDE DETAILS.

2. CZECH GROUPS ARE WALDEMAR MATUSKA AND KTO GROUP AND JIRI BRABEC AND COUNTRY BEAT. BOTH ARE WELL-KNOWN LOCALLY THROUGH RECORDS, TV, CONCERT AND CLUB APPEARANCES AND ARE AMONG MOST POPULAR OF INCREASING NUMBER OF CZECH BLUEGRASS GROUPS.

3. COVERAGE REQUESTED: IBS: VOA REPORTING AS USUAL. IMV: CAN YOU OBTAIN KINESCOPE OF ENTIRE PROGRAM FROM NASHVILLE TV FOR POSSIBLE LOCAL PLACEMENT? IF NOT, CAN WE OBTAIN COVERAGE OF TWO CZECH GROUPS IN ENTIRETY, PLUS ESTABLISHING SHOTS OF NASHVILLE SKYLINE, OPRY HOUSE, FESTIVAL PREPARATION, SOME OF THE MORE POPULAR AMERICAN GROUPS, AND AT LEAST ONE AMERICAN
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GROUP'S NUMBER. IPS: SUBJECT TO RPO);9,:7443,:3 FOR SPEKTRUM,

WOULD LIKE 1,500 WORD WRAPUP STORY ON WHAT IS BLUEGRASS, WHAT IS GRAND OLD OPRY, THIS PARTICULAR CELEBRATION, AND CZECH PARTICIPATION IN IT. PICTURES SHOULD COVER SAME SUBJECTS AS REQUESTED ABOVE FOR TV. QUINN

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